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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
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For: **Antibodies To Human Vascular Endothelial Growth Factor 2**
Inventors: Rosen *et al.*
Our Ref: 1488.100000Q/HCC/LMB

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Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Twelfth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b);
2. Form PTO/SB/08B (1 page), citing 2 documents (NPL85-NPL86);
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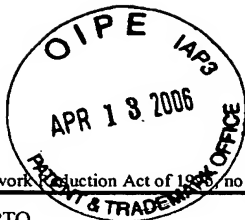


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